


THE STATE OF TEXAS }  
COUNTY OF *Tarrant*

KNOW ALL MEN, THAT I *John D. Bloodworth*  
do hereby appoint *W B Hunt* my attorney, for me and  
in my name to demand, receive and receipt, for all sums of money due me as a *private*  
in Capt. *W B Smith* company  
of Texas *mountain volunteers*

~~in the regiment commanded by~~

in the service of the late Republic of Texas in the year 18  
and further to receive and receipt for all claims *either done or money* which I may have against the State of  
Texas, and to have the same audited and paid, and to do all acts in relation to any claim which I may have  
against the State of Texas, in as perfect and full a manner as I could do if present. I do hereby ratify  
and confirm all the acts of my said attorney done in accordance with the premises, and this power of at-  
torney, for value received, is irrevocable.

Witness, my hand and seal, a scroll used as a seal, this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of

*W B* Eighteen hundred and fifty three *John Bloodworth* 

Acknowledged and subscribed before me *George H. Landon* clerk of the  
*county court* for the county of *Tarrant* and State of Texas; witness  
my hand and seal of office, this *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *Nov* Eighteen  
hundred and Fifty *Three*

*George H. Landon*  
*Clerk*